*************************** FARMERS**

FARMS FOR RENT:-Well improved 160 acres; 40 acres of which must be sown in wheat. GEO, W. 24-11 ADAMS & SON.

FOR SALE.

Barrons Strain S. C. W. Leghern Cockerels: April batched; price cach \$2.50 or 5 for \$10.00. Write or Phone MRS. H. K. CLEMENT, Benton City,

FOR SALE:-Bed stead and square plane, Phone 200. 235-2t w2-p

FOR SALE:-One Superior Wheat Drill, Good repair, W. D. BLAIR, Phone 3F33.

FOR SALE:-Nice small farm near Mexico, Mo. For a short time only. G. W. ADAMS & SON.

222-3t 29-3t. WANTED-At once, a man and woman to live on farm. See B. R. 231-2t w1t MIDDLETON.

FOR SALE:-4-room house and 3 lots, in Lakenan and Barnes addition. Near South Side School. Write to C. LUMM, Woodburn, Ind.

210-2taw 7 wks (Oct. 8) FOR SALE:-My residence property in Laddonia. Seven room house, four lots, good garden spot, concrete cellar, fruit trees, good outbuildings. Will sell either two of lots or all four. Reasonabe. T. B. HAM-METT, Laddonia, Mo.

Mrs. Lawrence Returns. Mrs. Jane Lawrence arrived, Wednesday, from Bartlesville, Oklahema, to visit her sister, Mrs. J. W. Plunkett, and family. Mrs. Lawrence has been away for over a year, and before going to Bartlesville visited in Los Angeles, San Francisco, and other important paces in the West. Her many Mexico friends are delighted at her return.

Automobile Insurance. A. C. BARNES & SON. 234-7t wit

Mrs. Virgil Williams, of Ranger, Texas, is the guest of Mrs. J. V. Williams of this city. She will probably spend the winter here.

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Drs. Geeslin OSTEOPATHS

Public Sale

American made Crochet

Thread, assorted colors.

Special, 3 balls for 25c

Four miles southwest of Mexico, on the W. H. LOGAN FARM.

Tuesday, Sept. 30

jack.

lady and city broke.

1 black colt, 1 year old. 1 suckling mare mule. 1 suckling filly colt, a good one.

HEAD OF CATTLE HEAD OF HOGS

pigs by side day of sale. 125 pounds. 1 stag almost fat.

HEAD OF SHEEP 19 breeding ewes and 1 buck. FARMING IMPLEMENTS

rakes, I wheat drill, 2 14-inch breaking vent to its citizens at 12 cents a siland single trees, 1 farm wagon, 1 are willing to invest in stock to the

SOME HOUSEHOLD AND KIT- cern. CHEN FURNITURE.

CHICKENS, BEES, FEED, ETC. Three stands of bees. About 4 acres of ceeds, or as much as necessary, to be corn in shock. Some corn in the field. used in constructing a line to Fulton. 150 acres of pasture, and whoever buys This city would furnish the current at it will have the use of it until the first | a price at which it could be resold by day of March. Some harness. A lot the Auxvasse municipality at a less of other things, too numerous to men- price than the one asked by the Mex-

GOVERNMENT TIME.

DINNER ON GROUNDS.

John. M. Taylor

J. G. Ford, Auctioneer. J. R. Jesse, Clerk.

SPECIALS THIS WEEK

At Ragsdale Cash Store

Enamel Ware Sale SATURDAY -- 27th 10 a.m.

Values from 50c to \$1.00 consisting of Small Dish Pans, Tea Kettles, 6 quart Pudding Pans, Wash Basins and other pieces of

Men's Cotton Gloves Pair	Men's Gray Cotton Sweaters, roll collars. Special
Men's Jersey Gloves Pair	Boy's Jersey Sweaters. Special
15e Shucking Pins 10e	Figured Rag Rugs, good size. Special
45x72 Cotton Blankets. Special	Ladies Georgette Waists, Beaded assorted colors, \$8.50 values. For
Heavy Silk and Georgette Waists, Assorted colors. Special\$4.98	Ladies' Fall Hats, values up to \$8,50. Special
Celluloid Cutie Dolls. Special	Boy's Khaki Unionalls. Special Suit \$1.98
Large Can Talcum Powder Special	Ladies and Misses Tams. Assorted colors, \$4.00 values. Special
One Box Headlight Matches	No. 1 Galvanized Wash Tubs. Special \$1.90
Child's Kiddle Cars. Special \$1.49	Brass Wash Board, Large Size
Colgate's Tooth Paste	15e Black Japanned Dust Pans. Special 10c

EXTRA SPECIAL

15c Iron

Handles

Special

proposition to the Auxvasse people.

Large Can GIT-Hand Soap, guaranteed to remove all stains, iron rust, ink or paint. Worth 15c per can.

Ragsdale's Eash Store

ber if neighboring towns and develop a large corporate company. Wnile the proposition is a good one, Mr. Me-STOCK PROPOSITION the proposition is a good one, are say. A. H. Dieus is home with his family from a delightful ten day motor trip from a delightful ten day motor trip.

Mexico Light and Power Company plant of course could not make a stock trip was thoroughly pleasant. Seeks to Sell \$20,000 of its

Preferred

HEAD OF LIVE STOCK 100 City Electrician William J. McCar-HORSES AND MULES 8 roll of Fulton, who went to Auxvasse 1 servel mare, 5 years old, bred to Monday, for a conference with the town board I that city relative to I bay mare, 12 years old, bred to furnishing Auxvasse with electric current from Fulton, found that a stock 1 black saddle mare, bred to jack. proposition that the Mexico Light and 1 gray mare, 8 years old, bred to Power Company has made the citizens there, has made such an impres-1 pair of bay horses, 7 and 8 years sion on them that he is very doubtold. One of these horses is a No. 1 ful if they would consider a propos buggy horse for women and children, kion from Fulton. Mr. McCarroll presented figures to the members of the town board in which he pointed out where the city could erect a line to Fulton and receive current at a price 18 letter than the one offered by Mex 7 milk cows, all of them good ones. ico and at the same time make a profit 4 suckling calves, 7 yearling heifers. that would revert to the town treas-

56 ury. 6 brood sows, some of them will have The Mexico company has offered to sell the Auxvasse people \$20,000 worth 50 stock hogs, weighing from 60 to of its preferred stock on which it guarantees an annual net profit of 7 per 20 cent, free of taxation. Upon the sale of this stock it will build its line to that town and furnish the current at 1 Deering binder, 1 McCormick 14 cents a kilowat. The municipal mower, 1 sulky rake, self dump; 2 big plant of Fulton is now providing curplows, 2 2-section harrows, 1 pair of owat. It is said that quite a number good oak sled runners. A lot of double of Auxvasse men with surplus money amount indicated by the Mexico con-

McCarroll's suggestion to the Auxvasse town board was that bonds in A lot of Brown Leghorn Chickens. the sum of \$10,000 be issued, the proico power company and still leave a SALE STARTS at 11 O'CLOCK, profit for the city. Auxvasse owns its own water plant and from what Mr. TERMS made known on day of sale. McCarroll learned Monday, it is making the city some money. By adding a munic pal light department still more profits could be made and the city

> would retain the excess. The proposition that Mexico made is in keeping with the plan of that company to extend its line to a num-

JOHNSON BROS.

First Stock Sale

At our farm 2 miles west and 1 mile south of Martinsburg, Mo on Asbury L. Thomas Sues Former Em-

Wednesday, Oct. 1, 1919 On the above date we will sell to the highest bidder:

679 Head Live Stock . 679 15 Head horses and mules 15 now before the Circuit Court of tais 214 Head of Cattle 214

300 Head breeding 150 Stock hogs

Christian Church ladies

Johnson Bros.

Aucts. Johnson, Brown, Ford, ted. Harrisons and others. Clerk, H. P. French.

RED CROSS NOTES.

The Home Nursing and Care of the Sick Department of the Red Cross tive damages. has flattering and satisfactory reports this week. Two classes in this work, ternoons and evening under the career class will be started at once to meet A. Harris, C. H. Shoup. on Wednesday and Friday afternoon and evening.

These classes are full of enthusiasm and interest but so far all members are Mexico women, save two from Benton City. It is hoped more women from this county will attend these meetings and take advantage of the instruction

The Home Service Division is working hard to give Audrain County something unusually fine in the line of its for a short time Wednesday morning. endeavor. While not ready to give these plans to the public, it is making an extra effort to let the people feel made a business trip to Mexico Wedthat its vision is far reaching and nesday. surely worth while. Meantime it wants the families of ex-soldiers to all times to serve them in any way their future home. compatible with the rules of the Red Cross. If financial aid is needed, or them or distress of whatever kind, the Brage. Home Service stands ready to lend a helping hand.

If any member of an ex-soldier's family gets into difficulties with the law, the Home Service will stay legal proceedings, pending a proper investigation seeing that the person thus held gets assistance. This has been abundn the last six months.

MRS. C. C. HAMMOND, Public Chairman.

municipal standpoint for Auxvasae, to Des Moines and other cities. He Fulton being a municipally owned said the roads were good and that the

J. M. Overfeldt, of Auxvasse, was in LEDGER CLASSIFIED ADS PAY. Mexico Wednesday for a short time.

PEACHES

Just received a carload of

Large Alberta Red-Cheek Peaches

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CASE FOR \$100,000 BEFORE COURT WED

ployer, Stuart A. Muff, of Illinois For Damages

The suit of Asbury L. Thomas versus Stuart A. Muff, of Illinois, which is county is one of the largest on the docket this term. The plaintiff asks ewes and bucks 300 for \$100,000 damages. Thomas alleges that several years ago Muff charged and brood sows 150 him with embezzling \$82 of the profits Sale starts promply at 11 o'clock new of a farm that belonged to Muff but time TERMS: Six months time approved was managed by Thomas. At that time the petition states the plaintifl was ar-Dinner served by Benton City rested by the local sheriff and put into the Audrain County jail and held for \$1,000 bond. Later he was tried in the Audrain circuit court and acquit-

As damages sustained from this suit Thomas asks for \$50,000 for the cost of having had to defend and clear himself of the charges brought by Mult, and further asks for \$50,000 as puni-

The case will probably continue till late Thursday. The jury is composed comprising forty pupils, are having of August Bertels, T. B. Ham, J. R. lessons on Tuesday and Thursday af- Braden, R. B. Price, E. M. Emmons, W. H. Brown, Dan Hartley, W. A. ful supervision of Mrs. Kunze. Anoth- Shrout W. T. Keith, John Cowherd, L.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Green are in

W. E. Muir, of Auxvasse, was here

Rolla McIntyre is home from a bus iness trip to Jefferson City.

R. L. Creed, of Auxvasse, was here

P. R. Hollingsworth, of Vandalia,

know that its members are ready at gone to Liberty where they will make farm. Mr. Patterson received \$635 for

Mrs. Carl Brown, of Jefferson City, sympathetic help, if illness overtakes is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. K. R.

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All pretty patterns, mostly Satin colored stripes Sizes 13 1-2 to 17

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In sizes 14 to 15 1-2 only-wonderful values in rich heavy crepe silk

JACOBI CLO. CO. SOUTH SIDE SQUARE

Melvin Patterson, nine miles west of Auxvasse, on Monday delivered a pair of three-year-old mules to L. W. ress at Bethel church, and is getting Mrs. Harry Vick and children have Thompson, at the Callaway county along nicely.

The revival meeting is still in prog-

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